



In re Application of: FANG et al.
 Application No. 09/595,227
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 For: METHOD FOR POLISHING MEMORY OR RIGID DISK WITH A PHOSPHATE ION-CONTAINING POLISHING SYSTEM

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 Attorney Docket No. 99154X204201
 Date: December 13, 2001

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to an office action in the subject application.

- Applicants claim small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.27.
- Petition for Extension of Time
 Applicants petition for a one-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee for which is \$110.00 (enclosed).
 Applicants believe that no petition for an extension of time is necessary. However, to the extent that such petition is deemed necessary, Applicants hereby petition for a sufficient extension of time to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 for the appropriate petition fee.
- No additional claim fee is required.
- Other: Copy of IEEE Standard Dictionary of Electrical and Electronics Terms, pp. 553, 558

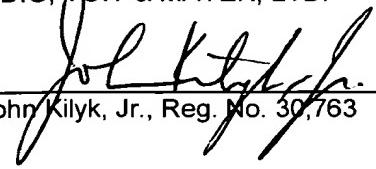
The claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

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| CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | | EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT | | RATE | ADDT. CLAIM FEE | RATE | ADDT. CLAIM FEE |
| TOTAL | 34 | MINUS | 27 | =7 | | x 9= | \$63.00 | x 18= | \$ |
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- Please charge my Deposit Account No. 12-1216 in the amount of \$ A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
- A check in the amount of \$63.00 is attached.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 12-1216. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
- Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.
- Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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